BEFORE THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN RE: BRENDA L. CROSLEY)		
EMT I.D. NO. 2076723)	Case No.:	1601

CONSENT AGREEMENT

A written Complaint has been filed with the Delaware State Fire Prevention Commission ("Commission") alleging that Brenda L. Crosley ("Respondent"), an emergency medical technician ("EMT") in the State of Delaware, has engaged in conduct which constitutes grounds for discipline under 16 *Del. C.* Ch. 67 and the Delaware State Fire Prevention Regulations.

Respondent and the State enter into this Consent Agreement and submit it to the Commission for review and approval as a means of resolving the pending administrative prosecution against Respondent pursuant to 16 Del. C. Ch. 67 and 29 Del. C. Ch. 101.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Respondent is a resident of Wyoming, Delaware, and is certified as an EMT in Delaware pursuant to the provisions of 16 Del. C. Ch. 67.
- At all times relevant to this Complaint, Respondent was employed by the Ellendale Fire Department ("Ellendale") and working as an EMT.
- 3. On or about January 8, 2016, in her capacity as an EMT, Respondent was dispatched to a residence located at 9 Ebony Street in Georgetown, Delaware for a report of an overdose.
- 4. Respondent was informed by a Delaware State Police Trooper who was on scene at her arrival that the subject of the call, a minor child, was not responsive and no parents

were present.

- Respondent was able to awaken the child and he stated that he was tired due to his medications. The child did not make any medical complaint.
- Respondent questioned the child as to his medications and he informed her that he was on Seroquel. Respondent did not document that in her patient care report.
- 7. Respondent did not do any hands-on assessment of the child, nor did she take any vital signs or do any other medical evaluation.
- 8. Respondent did not contact Medical Control for guidance for a patient refusal or non-transport for a pediatric patient.
- The Trooper took custody of the child and transported him to the State Police station. The child was later discovered to be intoxicated.
- 10. Respondent has violated Part 710, Section 14.4.1.4 of the Delaware State Fire Prevention Regulations in that she violated the Statewide Basic Life Support treatment protocols regarding general patient care of a pediatric patient.
- 11. Respondent violated Part 710, Section 14.4.1.4 of the Delaware State Fire Prevention Regulations in that she violated the Statewide Basic Life Support treatment protocols regarding documentation requirements.
- 12. Respondent violated Part 710, Section 14.4.1.4 of the Delaware State Fire Prevention Regulations in that she violated the Statewide Basic Life Support treatment protocols regarding patient refusal procedures.
- 13. Respondent has violated Part 710, Section 14.4.1.6 of the Delaware State Fire Prevention Regulations in that she has engaged in unprofessional conduct.
 - 14. Respondent hereby admits that the allegations set forth in paragraphs 1 through

- 13 above are true and correct.
- 15. Respondent and the State agree that the appropriate disciplinary sanctions shall be as follows:
 - a. Respondent shall be issued a letter of reprimand; and
 - b. Within 60 days of the Commission's acceptance of this Consent Agreement as a final order, Respondent shall complete the refresher courses on general patient care, patient assessment and patient refusal protocols offered through the Delaware Fire School.
- 16. The parties to this Consent Agreement are the State of Delaware and Respondent.
- 17. The parties agree and acknowledge that nothing contained in this Consent Agreement shall affect any rights or interests of any person not a party to this Agreement.
- 18. Respondent acknowledges that she is waiving her rights under the State Fire Prevention Regulations and 29 Del. C. Ch. 101 to a hearing before the Commission prior to the imposition of disciplinary sanctions.
- 19. Respondent acknowledges that she has carefully read and understands this Consent Agreement, and is entering into this Consent Agreement freely, knowingly, voluntarily, and after having received or having been afforded the opportunity to receive the advice of counsel.
- 20. Respondent acknowledges that this Consent Agreement is a public record within the meaning of 29 Del. C. § 10002 and will be available for public inspection and copying as provided for by 29 Del. C. § 10003.

whether oral or written. There are no other terms, obligations, covenants, representations, statements or conditions, or otherwise, of any kind whatsoever concerning this agreement.

26. This Consent Agreement shall be effective upon acceptance by the Commission and entry of the Commission's Order.

Brenda L. Crosley

Respondent

Zoe Plerhoples

Deputy Attorney General

Delaware Department of Justice

Dated:__

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ORDER			
WHEREAS, the Delaware State Fire Prevention Commission has reviewed this matter			
and hereby approves the Consent Agreement of the parties, and enters it now as an Order of the			
Delaware State Fire Prevention Commission;	as an order of the		
IT IS SO ORDERED this Qub day	of July , 2016.		
David J. Roberts Chairman	Alan Robinson, Jr. Vice Chairman		
Tom Dicristofaro	Lynn Truitt Ron Maurel		
Marvin Sharp Anthony Guzzo Marvin Sharp Anthony Guzzo Marvin Sharp	Ron Marvel		